

# FAIRY TAIL

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BLUE MISTRAL



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## What is FAIRY TAIL?

It's the guild that Wendy and Carla are in. They call it the most powerful guild in the Kingdom of Fiore.

## What is A GUILD?

It's a place where wizards gather. The guild is where the wizards get information on jobs they can take on.

### Main Characters

#### Wendy Marvell

A 12-year-old dragon slayer wizard who specializes in a magic that uses air, Sky Magic. When she was very little, she was raised by a dragon. She loves Carla. She hates pickled plums.



#### Carla

This creature looks very much like a cat, and was born from an egg that Wendy once found. She loves black tea. She can sprout wings and fly through the sky.

# FAIRY TAIL Blue Mistral

Dragon Slayer Magic...

It is accomplished by allowing your own body to take on aspects of a dragon.

It is an Ancient Spell.

There once appeared a young girl who could perform Dragon Slayer Magic!

And that power could shake the sky and cause the ground to tremble...



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Chapter 1 🐱 Departure





**FAIRY TAIL**

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THIS TIME,  
I'LL SHOW  
EVERYONE  
THAT I  
CAN DO A  
JOB ON MY  
OWN!

YOU'RE  
SUCH A  
WORRYWART,  
CARLA! I'LL  
BE FINE!  
BETTER  
THAN  
FINE!!

BETTER  
HOW?

LIKE  
I SAID,  
JUST  
FINE!!





SO I'M GOING  
TO GIVE THIS MY BEST...

YOU'LL  
COME  
WITH ME,  
RIGHT,  
CARLA?



DON'T  
BE A  
FOOL!

I'M ALWAYS  
WITH YOU,  
AREN'T I?



...DOING  
A JOB  
ALL ON  
OUR  
OWN.

TWIRL  
IT  
IT'S  
OUR  
FIRST  
TIME...

BLISSFUL  
IT'S  
IT'S



SO DON'T  
GIVE ME  
THAT, "I'M  
ABOUT  
TO CRY"  
FACE!

I'M NOT  
DOING  
THAT,  
EITHER!







I'M A  
DRAGON  
SLAYER  
WIZARD WHO  
USES SKY  
MAGIC.

AND IT'S A  
WIZARD'S  
JOB TO  
GO OUT  
AND SOLVE  
PROBLEMS  
AFTER A  
REQUEST  
HAS BEEN  
SENT TO  
HER GUILD.

HELP

WENDY

YEP!

THIS  
IS THE  
REQUEST  
WE'RE  
WORKING  
ON THIS  
TIME?



MY NAME IS AGON, A DOCTOR IN A PLACE CALLED NANALU.

THEY ONLY WANTED DRAGON SLAYERS, SO I HAVE TO SHOW WHAT A DRAGON SLAYER CAN DO!

WE NEED HELP IN SOLVING A CREEPY PHENOMENON THAT OCCURS IN OUR VILLAGE.

HOWEVER...



I HOPE IT ISN'T TOO SCARY...

I WONDER WHAT A "CREEPY PHENOMENON" MEANS...



HEY!

RUSTLE



WHY ARE YOU NOT MAKING EYE CONTACT WITH ME?!

MAYBE.

SURE, I'M SURE!

THIS ISN'T A ROAD ANYMORE, WENDY!



SHU-SHUUSH

DON'T RUN! YOU'LL TRIP ON SOMETHING!!

BUT I KNOW THIS IS THE RIGHT DIRECTION!!!

ARE YOU SURE WE'RE GOING THE RIGHT WAY?!

WAHH!

SHEEEEN  
?

WOOOW!



LOOK,  
CARLA!  
IT'S  
NANALU  
VILLAGE!

ADMIT  
IT! YOU  
WERE  
LOST!

WHAT A  
WONDERFUL  
PLACE,  
AND SO  
ROMANTIC!

NANALU

?

WHAM

URG  
...

WHY?!

I DIDN'T  
DO ANY-  
THING  
WRONG  
...

WENDY  
!!!

SKRRCH



**NO!**



**I CAN'T  
DODGE  
IT...**















I'M SO  
HAPPY  
YOU'RE  
HERE,  
WENDY!



THERE  
AREN'T ANY  
GIRLS IN  
THE VILLAGE  
EVEN CLOSE  
TO MY  
AGE!



I THINK  
WE CAN BE  
FRIENDS!



SHE'S A  
LITTLE  
FORCEFUL,  
BUT SHE  
SEEMS  
NICE.



GIVE ME BACK MY CHILD!!

I WANT  
MY HUSBAND  
BACK!

WHAT IS  
THIS?!

MOMMY !!

UM...

YO-  
SHINO  
?!

BUMP

EYAAH  
!!!

WHUD

WHAT'S  
WRONG  
WITH  
EVERY-  
BODY?

FWOOSH

HUH?





NO,  
NO,  
NO,  
NO,  
NOT  
ME  
!!

W  
H  
A  
A  
A  
A  
T  
?!!

EEEE

NO! YOU  
DO TOO,  
WENDY  
...?!

I KNEW IT!!  
I FIGURED  
THIS WOULD  
HAPPEN!!

And what  
do you  
mean, you  
knew it?!

BOOM!! THWAK

NOBODY!

THEN WHO  
ARE YOU  
IN LOVE  
WITH?!

HUH?!

WHAT  
KIND OF  
SICK-  
OS ARE  
THEY?!

B-B-  
B-BUT  
IT ISN'T  
LIKE I'M IN  
LOVE WITH  
ANYONE WHO  
EATS FIRE OR  
STRIPS OFF  
HIS CLOTHES  
OR ANY-  
THING!!!

GRR

IM-  
POSS-  
IBLE  
!!

ANY  
YOUNG  
MAIDEN  
WOULD FALL  
FOR THAT  
GOOD-  
LOOKING A  
GUY WHEN  
HE'S THAT  
CLOSE,  
RIGHT?!

YOU  
EXPECT  
ME TO  
AGREE  
WITH THAT?

BESIDES,  
I'M  
ALWAYS  
AROUND  
GOOD-  
LOOKING  
GUYS...

BWAHH

BL  
U  
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U  
S  
H







THEN  
THOSE  
COS-  
TUMES  
...

THEY  
DID HAVE  
SOME-  
THING TO  
DO WITH  
DRAGONS  
!!

DRAGON  
?!

KLENCH

UM....!

...I'M  
SORRY.

WE  
DON'T  
DISCUSS  
IT WITH  
OUT-  
SIDERS  
...

WHY  
NOT?! IT  
ISN'T LIKE  
WE HAVE  
ANYTHING  
TO HIDE!

UM...  
WOULD  
YOU MIND  
TELLING  
ME MORE  
ABOUT  
THAT?

WENDY!

PEOPLE  
HAVE BEEN  
DISAPPEARING  
EVERY SINGLE  
MONTH!

WENDY,  
I'M SURE  
YOU WON'T  
BELIEVE  
THIS, BUT...

ACTU-  
ALLY  
...

YOSHINO,  
STOP IT!!

BA-BUM-P!!!

NOTHING  
LIKE THIS  
HAS EVER  
HAPPENED  
BEFORE  
HERE...

PEOPLE  
HAVE BEEN...

BUT  
WHY...?

...IT'S  
BEEN  
HAPPEN-  
ING FOR  
LIKE HALF  
A YEAR!  
ALL OF A  
SUDDEN!

AND IT  
ISN'T LIKE  
IT'S JUST  
ONE OR  
TWO!  
MORE  
THAN  
TEN!





IT'S  
IMPOSSIBLE  
FOR YOU!

WELL,  
A STUPID  
CEREMONY  
ISN'T GOING  
TO BRING  
BACK THE  
PEOPLE WHO  
VANISHED!

I'VE  
HEARD  
ENOUGH!  
I'M  
GOING  
MYSELF,  
AND I'LL  
SAVE  
THEM  
ALL!!

SOMEBODY  
HAS TO GO  
OUT AND  
TRY TO  
RESCUE  
THEM!!

DON'T  
INVOLVE  
YOURSELF  
IN THIS!!

TWITCH

WHAT  
ARE YOU  
SAYING  
?!

...I  
SHOULDN'T  
ASK YOU  
THIS, BUT...

HURRY  
DASH?

...WOULD  
YOU GO  
WITH  
YOSHINO  
AND LOOK  
AFTER  
HER?

YOU  
WANT ME  
TO JUST  
LEAVE  
THEM OUT  
THERE TO  
DIE?!

YOU'RE  
STUPID,  
DAD!!











**THEN  
I'M  
GOING  
TO  
RESCUE  
THOSE  
PEOPLE  
!!**

**I'M  
GOING  
TO FIND  
OUT THE  
TRUTH!**

**LET'S  
GO  
HOME!**

**YOUR  
FATHER'S  
WORRIED  
ABOUT  
YOU!**

**YOSHINO!!**

**T=!!  
DASH!!**

**THERE  
IS NO  
DRAGON  
GHOST!**

**COME  
OUT  
AND  
FACE  
ME!!**

**SO  
THERE  
MUST BE  
SOME  
TRICK TO  
IT!!**

NO WAY! THE  
WHOLE  
BRIDGE  
IS...

CRAK  
K

COLLAPSING  
....!!

KH  
....!

HUH?

WSSM...



...  
**HôKô\***  
!!!!

**VWAAAH**

I'D  
BETTER  
MAKE  
IT IN  
TIME...

TER  
RY  
NO

"Sky Dragon's Roar"







↗

F / /  
W O O I  
O S H : :

?!



...A  
DRAGON'S  
GHOST  
...?!

NO! IT  
COULDN'T  
REALLY  
BE...



Chapter 2 Dragon's Treasure





Nice to meet you!  
I'm Rui Watanabe.  
To all the fans of the  
original series and for those  
of you reading Fairy Tail for  
the first time, it'd make me  
very happy if you just have  
fun with this series!





AFTER HEARING THE DRAGON'S ROAR, THE PEOPLE OF THE VILLAGE WILL BE EVEN MORE ON EDGE!

PLEASE! WE HAVE TO GO OUT AND FIND CLUES THAT WILL SOLVE THIS THING!!

I THINK YOU SHOULD SLEEP A LITTLE LONGER, YOSHINO.

...AFTER SEEING A VISION OF THE DRAGON'S GHOST?!

HOW CAN ANYBODY SLEEP...

CLENCH!



LET ME DO IT FOR YOU!

RIGHT!

WHOOOSH

SORRY! I'LL GET READY RIGHT AWAY.





OUR FIRST  
TASK WILL BE TO  
GATHER ALL THE  
INFORMATION  
WE CAN ON  
THE VANISHED  
VILLAGERS  
FROM PEOPLE  
IN TOWN!



## BONUS MANGA 1

But at least in looks, I'm the older girl!



HOW ABOUT YOU ACTUALLY TRY USING YOUR HEAD FOR A CHANGE?

WHAT'S THE GOOD OF DRAWING A MAP LIKE THIS?  
I CAN'T EVEN REALLY READ IT.

GROWTH



You're talking about height, right?



WHICH MEANS SOMETHING CHANGED IN THE VILLAGE SIX MONTHS BACK.

LISTEN AND LEARN. FIRST...

...THE WHOLE THING STARTED SUDDENLY, HALF A YEAR AGO.



I don't see a difference!

Thank goodness!



HMM  
...

YOSHINO,  
CAN YOU  
THINK OF  
ANYTHING?

...EVERYONE  
VANISHED  
NEAR DRAGON  
VALLEY!

Dragon Valley

X Ms. Hina (25)  
Female, Vanished  
6 months ago. X Yoshiko's Father  
says to stay away.

X Mr. Koi (27)  
Male, Vanished  
3 months ago.

X Miss Rie (10),  
Female, Vanished  
2 months ago. X

X Ms. Akira (42)  
Female, Vanished  
5 months ago.

X We are here.

WHICH  
PROBABLY  
MEANS THAT  
SOMEBODY  
DON'T WANT  
THE PEOPLE OF  
THE VILLAGE  
TO GET CLOSE TO  
THE VALLEY.

FINE,  
THEN,  
SECOND  
...

IS  
THAT  
SO?

...NOPE.  
NO-  
THING.



THEN  
THAT  
WHOLE  
THING  
WITH THE  
BRIDGE  
AND THAT  
DRAGON WE SAW...





YOU'RE  
KIDDING

WHOOOSH!

WH-  
WHAT'LL  
WE DO  
?!

WENDY  
!!

WENDY  
?!

SHE'S  
RIGHT...

HE  
SEEMED  
WAY TOO  
WOUNDED  
TO GO  
OUT ON  
HIS OWN...

I  
KNOW!  
HE'S PROB-  
ABLY JUST  
OUT SHOP-  
PING OR  
SOME-  
THING.

CALM  
DOWN,  
YOSHI-  
NO!

...IT  
COULD  
BE THAT  
...

UM  
...

NO HE  
ISN'T!!  
WHERE  
COULD  
HE GO,  
WOUNDED  
LIKE  
THAT?!

DASH

**THERE  
YOU  
ARE!!**

WENDY?!



YOU  
WERE  
GOING TO  
DRAGON  
VALLEY,  
WEREN'T  
YOU?!

DADDY!!



I'LL  
PROBABLY  
FIND A  
CLUE  
IN THE  
VALLEY,  
RIGHT?

I HAVE TO  
SOLVE THIS  
QUICK FOR  
YOSHINO'S  
SAKE...



THE  
PEOPLE  
OF THE  
VILLAGE  
ARE ALL...

...LIVING  
WITH THE  
CONSTANT  
FEAR THAT  
SOMEONE  
THEY LOVE  
WILL VANISH  
FOREVER.

EVEN  
WHOEVER  
SENT THE  
REQUEST...

...PROBABLY  
FELT  
HELPLESS  
AGAINST  
THIS...

I'M  
GOING  
TO  
DRAGON  
VALLEY!

CARLA,  
PLEASE  
...

...STAY  
HERE  
WITH  
YOSHINO.

HUH?  
WHAT  
ABOUT  
YOU,  
WENDY?







IT'S THE  
DRAGON'S  
LAIR.



A  
DRAG-  
ON'S...  
LAIR?

THAT'S  
WHAT THE  
VILLAGERS  
CALL IT.



WHO'D EVER THINK THERE WAS A PLACE LIKE THIS AT THE BOTTOM OF THE VALLEY?



EVERYBODY'S SO NICE, BUT SOMETIMES I GET THE FEELING THAT THEY'RE TRYING TO SPARE MY FEELINGS...

SO YOU FEEL THAT YOU'RE NOT REALLY A PART OF THE GROUP YET?

I-I'M THE NEW GIRL, TOO...I ONLY JUST ENTERED MY GUILD, AND...Y- YOU KNOW...

HM...?



THAT'S EXACTLY IT!

B-BIMP

...AH!

NO, NOT  
YET!

D...  
DON'T YOU  
THINK WE  
SHOULD BE  
GETTING  
BACK  
TO THE  
VILLAGE  
?

I  
MEAN,  
RIGHT  
?!

FLAPPA  
!!

M-M-MR.  
SHIYUU?!

All men are  
wolves!

...THAT  
MR.  
SHIYUU  
COULD  
BE A  
WOLF  
IN HOT  
GUY'S  
CLOTH-  
ING  
...!

I-I-I-I  
NEVER  
THOUGHT  
...

JUST  
WALK  
THIS  
WAY...

WHAAA  
?!

YOU  
HAVEN'T  
SEEN MY  
FAVOR-  
ITE PART  
YET!



...LOOK!



THEY CALL  
THIS THE  
**DRAGON'S  
TREASURE!**



IT'S SO  
PRETTY!

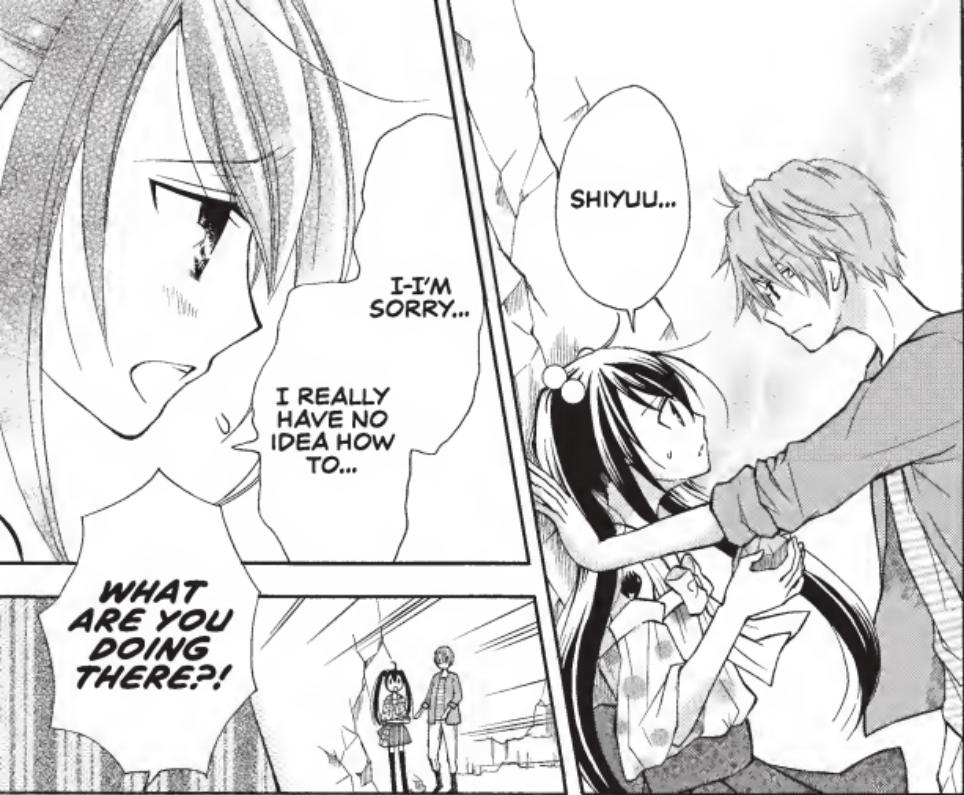


I HAVE NO  
IDEA HOW  
TO ACCESS  
ANY POWER  
IT MAY  
ACTUALLY  
HAVE,  
THOUGH.

ANY  
WISH  
?!

THEY SAY  
THAT THE  
STONE HAS  
THE POWER  
TO GRANT  
ANY WISH  
YOU WANT.







I WAS  
ON THE  
VERGE OF  
FALLING!



YEAH!

...THEN IS THAT TREASURE THE REASON SOMEBODY'S TRYING TO KEEP PEOPLE OUT OF DRAGON VALLEY?

REALLY? IF THAT'S TRUE...

BUT TO ME, IT JUST FELT LIKE A PRETTY STONE.

I HAD NO CLUE HOW TO RELEASE ANY POWER IT MIGHT HAVE.

IT'S SUPPOSED TO HAVE THE POWER TO GRANT ANY WISH!

7.  
RO  
OL  
L

I WONDER IF IT REALLY HAS POWER ...?

THIS IS A CHALLENGE !!

I SHAL-  
LENGE YOU!

?!

COME IN!

K  
N  
O  
C  
K

X X  
SHUUUSSH X X

HERE I  
COME,  
WENDY!!

III  
BAMM  
GWOOOOOHH

Sky Dragon's Roar

TEN-  
RYU-  
NO  
...

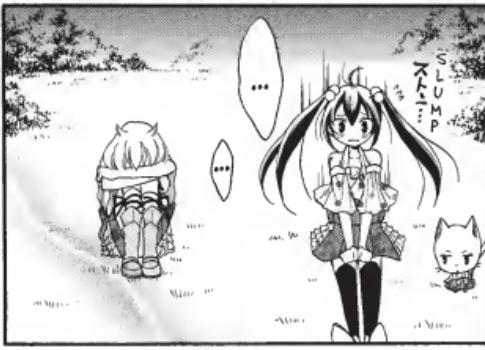
You  
dummiy!  
I'm

Can't  
you pull  
your  
Punches  
a little??!

I'm  
sorry  
...

...  
HOKO\*  
!!







YOU CAN'T EXPLAIN WHY.

...BUT  
FOR SOME  
REASON,  
YOUR EYE  
LANDS ON  
JUST ONE,  
RIGHT?

THERE  
ARE SO  
MANY  
STARS

...

THE  
REASON  
IS LIKE  
THAT STAR...

...  
MAYBE.

WHAT  
?

SST  
+





I DON'T  
THINK  
I'VE EVER  
THOUGHT  
THAT  
WAY...

...ABOUT  
ANYBODY.

SPECIAL  
...



...JUST  
GOTTA  
SOLVE  
THIS  
MYS-  
TERY  
!!

HOB  
OOOO  
T|M

THAT'S  
WHY  
I...

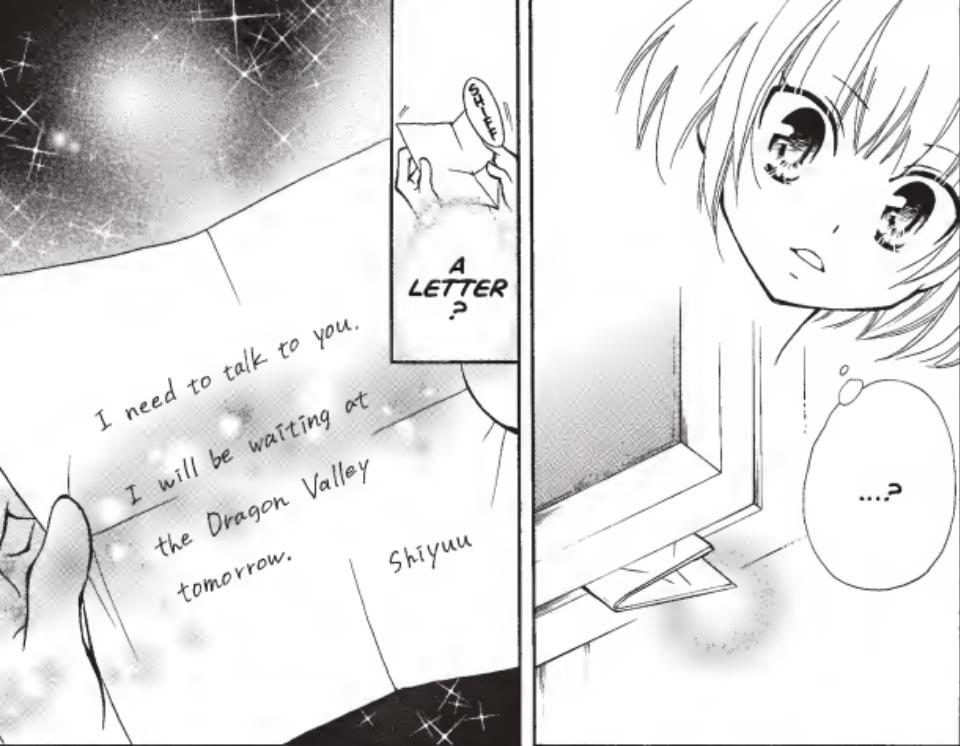




AFTER ALL...



I AM A FAIRY TAIL WIZARD!



**GRUNNCH**

WHAT  
AM I  
SUPPOSED  
TO DO....?

WHAT  
CAN I  
DO  
...?

Chapter 3 🐱 The Ghost's Identity



I NEED TO TALK TO YOU.

SH...

SHIYUU  
...?



I need to talk to  
the Dragon  
tomorrow.  
I will be wait

I WILL BE WAITING AT THE DRAGON VALLEY TOMORROW.

I'm so glad that the main character of  
Blue Mistral, Wendy, has twin ponytails.  
They're one of my favorite things!

Wendy is so cute in twin  
ponytails!



AAAAAH!!

F I I B  
I I B  
W U M  
F D P

FIDGET  
FIDGET  
FIDGET

WHY  
WOULD  
HE WRITE  
THAT  
LETTER?

AND  
COULD  
THAT  
"TALK" BE  
RELATED  
TO...

WENDY!

Y-  
YEAH  
...

...WENDY,  
ARE YOU  
ALONE?

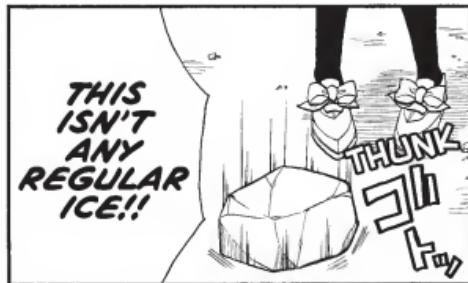
UM...  
WHAT'S  
THIS  
TALK YOU  
WANTED  
TO HAVE  
...?

I'M SO  
GLAD  
YOU'RE  
HERE.



**THE  
MISSING  
PEOPLE...**









## BONUS MANGA 2

Shiyuu just did a wall thump on Wendy!



I want so much to be thumped!!



Recently, Yoshino's been following me in the shadows of the walls.



SHE'S SCARY!

Scary...?

HONESTLY!

WHERE DID THAT LITTLE GIRL RUN OFF TO?!

WHAM



AND HERE I TOLD HER NOT TO GO OFF ANYWHERE ALONE...



NOW WHAT CAN THAT BE...?

YAAAHH!!

!!  
PACHIK

HERE I  
THOUGHT I  
COULD GET  
THIS DONE  
WITHOUT A  
FUSS.

SH-  
SHI-  
YUU  
...

BUT IF MY  
SECRET'S  
OUT, THEN  
THERE'S NO  
CHOICE.

I HAVE TO  
INSIST THAT  
YOU TELL  
ME THE  
SECRET  
OF THE  
DRAGON'S  
TREASURE.





I'LL JUST  
ELIMINATE  
THE  
HOSTAGES  
ONE BY ONE  
UNTIL YOU...



STOP  
IT!!



...THINK  
UP AN  
ANSWER!



OUT  
OF  
MY WA-

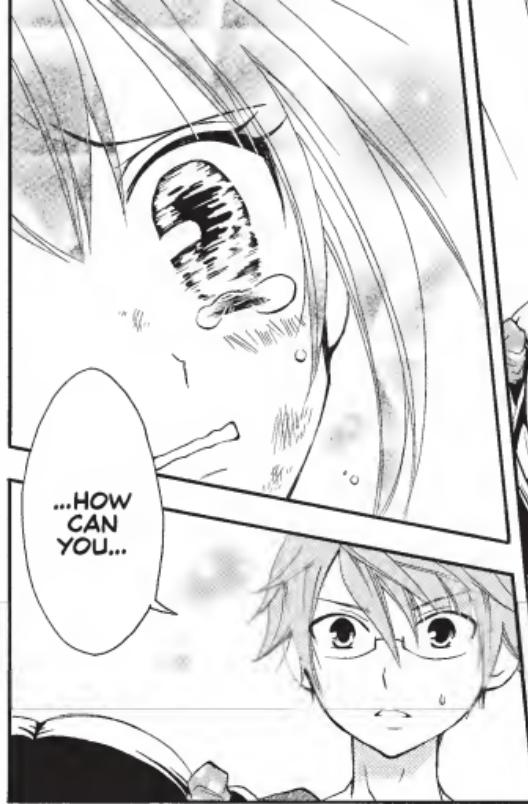
THE REAL  
SHIYUU  
WOULDN'T  
DO THIS!!



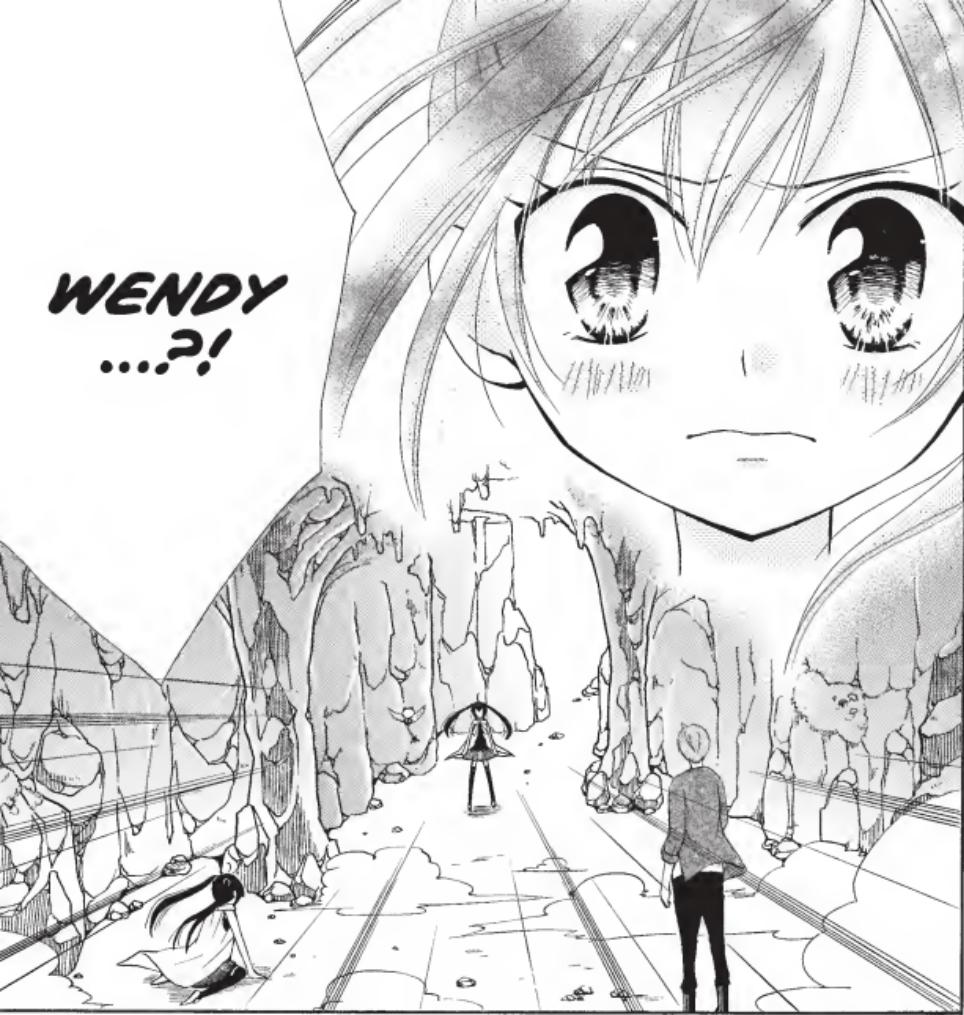
I JUST  
KNOW  
THAT  
YOU'RE  
A NICE  
PERSON,  
SHIYUU!!

I  
MEAN...  
I JUST  
KNOW  
IT!





**WENDY**  
...?!



\*Sky Dragon's Roar







LISTEN TO  
ME, TALKING  
ABOUT HOW  
HE WAS SO  
**SPECIAL...**

I PROBABLY  
LOOK LIKE  
A BIG IDIOT,  
HUH...?

IN THE END,  
I COULDN'T  
DO A SINGLE  
THING...

YOSHINO!

THAT'S  
WHY SHE  
COULDN'T  
FIND THE  
ANSWER...

I NEVER  
THOUGHT  
YOSHINO  
COULD  
TRANS-  
FORM SO  
COMPLETE-  
LY...

URK  
...

WHAT  
WERE YOU  
GOING TO  
DO WITH THE  
DRAGON'S  
TREASURE?!

HOW SHI-  
COULD YUU!  
YOU DO  
SOMETHING SO  
CRUEL  
...?!

I TOLD  
YOU YESTER-  
DAY  
...

...I  
CANNOT  
DO  
THAT!!

ALL YOU  
HAVE TO DO  
IS GIVE ME  
THE SECRET  
TO THE  
DRAGON'S  
TREASURE!

...I DON'T  
NEED TO  
ANSWER  
ANYBODY'S  
QUES-  
TIONS!

I  
KNOW  
YOU  
CAN!

YOU'RE A  
DRAGON  
SLAYER,  
RIGHT?!

F  
OO  
OM

PACHIK

PACHIK

WHA  
...?!

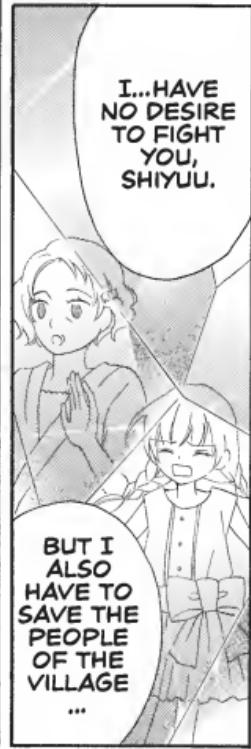
CRUMBLE

CRUMBLE

GWOOSH

TENRYÙ  
NO  
HÔKÔ\*  
!!

Sky Dragon's Roar





...SO  
THIS  
IS...

THE  
POWER OF  
A DRAGON  
SLAYER  
...?

YOU  
SHOULD  
HAVE JUST  
BEEN A  
GOOD  
LITTLE GIRL  
AND DID AS  
YOU WERE  
TOLD...

...YOU  
WILL NOW  
RELEASE  
EVERYONE  
YOU'VE  
ENCASED  
IN ICE.

SHIYUU  
...



NOW YOUR  
MISGUIDED  
SENSE OF  
JUSTICE HAS  
DOOMED  
THE ENTIRE  
VILLAGE!



YOU CAN  
JUST LEAVE  
THE REST  
TO US.  
♥



THE  
BANDIT  
CLAN  
NIGHT  
BUTTER-  
FLY HAS  
ARRIVED  
!!

WELL,  
I GOT  
SICK OF  
WAITING!





WA  
WA  
WA  
WA

AAAA!!

YOSHI-  
NO!!

I TAKE  
YOUR IN-  
ACTION  
AS PER-  
MISSION  
TO MAKE  
YOUR  
FRIEND  
HURT!

AH

OWW!!

WHAM







I  
REALLY  
DON'T  
KNOW  
WHAT IT  
IS!!

STOP IT,  
PLEASE!



THEN  
FINISH  
HER  
OFF!!



OH?  
IS THAT  
RIGHT?



R...  
WENDY  
RUN... AWAY



WHAT  
ARE YOU  
SAYING?! I  
CAN'T DO  
THAT!!



I'M...  
BEG-  
GING...  
JUST...  
RUN



X// G R | N // AAA  
X// G R | N //  
X// G R | N //



SORRY...TO  
GET YOU...  
INVOLVED IN  
THIS...

...WEN...  
DY...



I'M SO  
SORRY...



YOSHI-  
NO!!



WHOOSH

**I  
COULDN'T  
PROTECT  
EVEN ONE  
FRIEND...**

**HOW  
CAN I  
CALL  
MYSELF A  
WIZARD  
?!**

YOSHISHI...

...NO  
...

WHERE'D THAT COME FROM?!

HEY!

WE OVERDID IT, RIGHT?!

AW...NOW WE MADE HER CRY...

WHAT?!

I KNOW THAT MAGIC...

?!

F-U-P







**YOU  
MADE A  
GOOD  
FRIEND  
OF MINE  
CRY!!**



Chapter 4 🐱 Night Butterfly



THEY  
CAME FOR  
ME...

THEY  
CAME TO  
RESCUE  
ME...

SNIFF...

I patterned the main characters of Nanalu village  
after a favorite of mine, indigenous Japanese dogs!

Yoshino → Shiba

Shiyuu → Kishu

Kishu...Kishiyu...Ki Shiyu...Ki Shiyuu...



AH!











THEY'RE MY  
FRIENDS!  
THEY CAME  
HERE TO  
HELP!

THIS IS THE  
FIRST TIME  
I'VE EVER  
SEEN SUCH  
INcredible  
WIZARDS!

**WE'RE  
ALL  
FAIRY  
TAIL  
....!!**





LANCE  
!!!

ICE  
MAKE!

HUH

NO WAY!

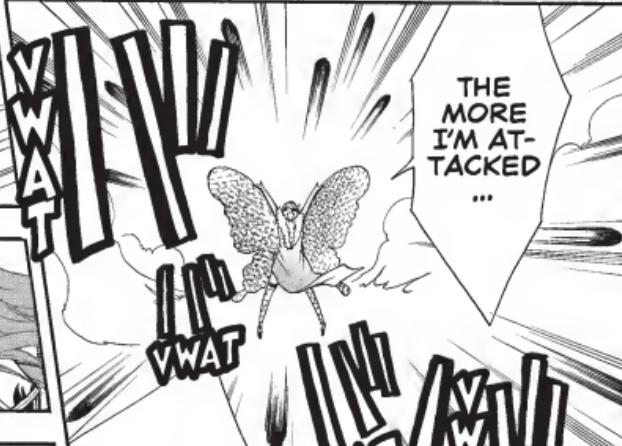
OOH  
HOO  
HOO!

OUR  
ATTACKS  
ARE  
GETTING  
SUCKED  
IN!

THE  
BANDIT  
GOT  
BIGGER  
...?!

I LIVE BY  
SUCKING  
IN OTHERS'  
POWERS!

THAT IS  
WHAT IT  
MEANS  
TO BE  
THE NIGHT  
BUTTERFLY!



...THE  
STRON-  
GER I  
BECOME  
!!



SHIYUU  
...!

URG  
...

SHIYUU  
...?!

DON'T...  
YOU  
HAVE  
ENOUGH  
...?

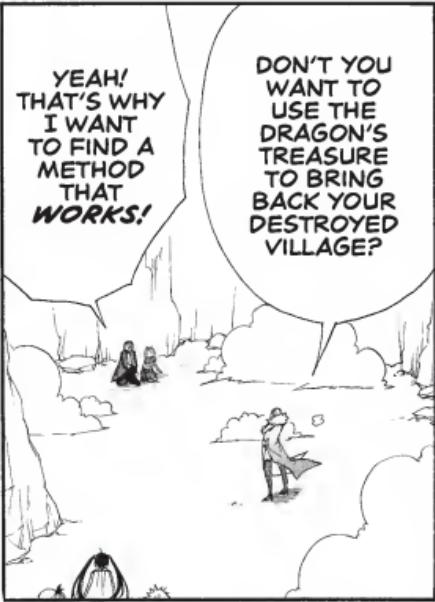
WHAT'S  
WRONG  
WITH YOU?  
YOU SYM-  
PATHIZE  
WITH THEM  
NOW?

THEY  
REALLY  
DON'T  
KNOW  
ANYTHING  
ABOUT  
HOW IT  
WORKS

BUT IF  
WE JUST  
FIGURE OUT  
ITS SECRET  
ON OUR  
OWN...

...

YOU CAN  
TAKE THE  
DRAGON'S  
TREASURE!  
IT'S YOURS...



YOU  
FINALLY  
FIGURED  
IT OUT?

**THE  
ONES WHO  
ATTACKED  
YOUR VILLAGE  
IN THE FIRST  
PLACE WERE  
OBVIOUSLY  
US!**



## BONUS MANGA 3









ANY MORE ATTACKS, AND IT'LL BE REALLY DANGEROUS!!

HEY... YOU'RE ALL DOING IT NOW ?!



THERE  
IS NO  
WAY  
THAT  
WE CAN  
LOSE  
THIS!!

WE  
CAN'T  
LOSE  
THIS!

GWOOGH

...  
HÜH  
?!

EVERY-  
BODY'S  
MAGIC

...IS  
COM-  
BINING  
INTO  
ONE  
....!!

FWAHHH

THIS IS  
WONDER-  
FUL! THIS IS  
THE FIRST  
TIME I'VE  
EVER FELT  
SUCH AN  
ATTACK!

HUH  
?!

AND  
IT'S  
FILL-  
ING  
ME UP!

WH-  
WHAT IS  
THIS...?!

# **EVERY-BODY'S FEELINGS**

**...GIVE  
ME  
POWER**  
!!

WAIT  
...

ANY  
MORE  
AND  
I'LL...

*B...!!*

vWoooom



**YOSHINO...**

SHIYUU...



HE'S  
BLEED-  
ING...!!

SHIYUU  
?!

NO  
...  
WHAT'LL  
WE DO  
...

YOSHI-  
NO...

SHIYUU  
?!

COULD  
YOU...  
APOLOGIZE  
TO EV-  
ERYBODY  
FOR ME...?  
I DON'T  
THINK I'LL  
BE ABLE  
TO...

HUFF...

WHEN  
DID THAT  
HAPPEN  
...

THAT  
DIDN'T  
HAPPEN  
WHEN YOU  
SHIELDED  
ME, DID  
IT...?!



I SOON LEARNED THAT THEY WEREN'T GOOD PEOPLE, BUT...

IT WAS THEN THAT I HEARD THE DRAGON'S TREASURE COULD HELP THE VILLAGE SOMEHOW, SO I CONTACTED NIGHT BUTTERFLY...

...BY THAT TIME, I DIDN'T CARE.

I WAS WILLING TO DO ANYTHING TO GET MY VILLAGE BACK TO THE WAY IT WAS.

I WAS... STUPID, HUH...? I DID EVERYTHING THEY SAID, AND THEY... ATTACKED MY VILLAGE...

YOU DON'T HAVE TO SAY ANY MORE!

S H I Y U U !

BUT...

GRNN



**...WANTED  
A PLACE I  
COULD CALL  
MY HOME  
AGAIN...**



**I  
JUST  
...**



**IT  
WAS SO  
HARD...  
LIVING...**



**YOU  
AREN'T  
LIVING  
ON YOUR  
OWN....!**

**...  
YOU'RE  
SO  
DUMB!**



**...ON  
MY...  
OWN...**

**I'M  
RIGHT  
HERE  
FOR  
YOU!**

**SHIYUU,  
YOUR  
HOME IS  
HERE!!**

**I'LL MAKE  
SURE...  
THAT YOU  
DON'T  
HAVE TO BE  
ALONE!**

**I DON'T  
WANT YOU  
GOING  
ANYWHERE  
....!!**

**...JUST  
STAY  
HERE,  
ALWAYS  
....!**

**SO...**



THANK  
YOU...

...YOSHI...  
NO...



MAYBE

...

...I  
DON'T...  
HAVE  
TO BE

...  
ALONE  
ANY-  
MORE  
...



SHKK



DON'T  
DO  
THIS

...



HEY

...



...  
SHIYUU?



I'M  
GOING  
TO  
SAVE  
HIM!

I  
DON'T  
WANT  
TO SEE  
ANY-  
BODY  
I LOVE  
CRY!!

NO  
MORE  
....

SHEEEN

!!!



WHAT  
WENDY IS  
REALLY  
BEST  
AT ISN'T  
ATTACK  
MAGIC,  
BUT MAGIC  
THAT HEALS  
PEOPLE.

AMAZ-  
ING  
...

THEY'RE  
HEAL-  
ING UP.







AND IT'S ALL THANKS TO YOU, WENDY!

THANK YOU SO MUCH!!



EVERYBODY SAID THAT HE COULD TRY STARTING OVER IN THE VILLAGE!

AND THE PEOPLE OF THE VILLAGE ARE GOING TO LET SHIYUU STAY!



I-I'M NOT!

I FIGURED YOU'D BE AN INCREDIBLE WIZARD!



THAT'S WHAT YOU'RE WORRIED ABOUT?

...BUT INSTEAD I HAD TO RELY ON EVERYBODY SWEEPING IN TO SAVE ME.

SO ONCE AGAIN, I COULDN'T COMPLETE THE JOB ON MY OWN...

SQUEEZE



I'M SO GLAD

...THAT EVERYTHING TURNED OUT SO WELL...

OKAY! I  
GUESS  
IT'S TIME  
TO GO  
HOME!

FRIENDS

HELPING  
OUT IS  
WHAT  
FRIENDS  
ARE FOR,  
RIGHT?

WHAT'S IT  
MATTER  
AS LONG  
AS THE  
JOB GOT  
DONE?

SURE!  
OUR  
HOME.

HUH...?  
GO...  
HOME  
...?

YEAH!!  
LET'S  
GO  
HOME  
!!

**FAIRY  
TAIL!!**

I AGREE!  
LET'S GO  
HOME!

MY HOME!  
THE PLACE  
WHERE I  
BELONG!

**FAIRY TAIL**

?!

SHEEN

THE  
DRAGON'S  
TREASURE  
SUDDENLY  
STARTED  
GLOWING...

I  
DON'T  
KNOW!

YOSHINO,  
WHAT'S  
THAT  
LIGHT  
...?!



WH-  
WHAT IS  
THIS...?!



I...  
KNOW  
THAT  
GIRL...



**WHAT  
?!**

Thank you so much for picking up my book!!

I love Shiba doggies!



I just want to say again, hello! I'm Rui Watanabe.

KAKABOOOM

A FAIRY TAIL SPINOFF !!

How'd that ever happen to me?!

On top of that, it's...

KABOOOM

MY VERY FIRST FANTASY STORY!!

Not only that, it's...

BOOM

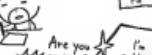
MY VERY FIRST SERIES !!

Can you believe it? This is...

...and to the Nakayoshi editors Yonemura-sama and Hino-sama...

Thank you for all your constant help!

I want to tell Mashima-sensei and his editors at Weekly Magazine who are all so busy...



♡ ♡ ♡ ♡ ♡

And here are some people who have been very kind to me!

Shizuka Mizuki-sama

Medama-sama

Naomi Sato-sama

Megumi Mizuno-sama

The Watanabe Family

BOW



Fortunately, Blue Mistral will have a second volume, too! So I hope to see you all then!

# PLUNGE INTO A NEW CHAPTER!!

IN WHAT WORLD DO...??

WHAT IS  
A MANSION  
DOING IN  
THE MIDDLE  
OF THIS  
FOREST  
?!

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WENDY AND CARLA  
FIND THEMSELVES?!

# FAIRY TAIL

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YAAAAA!!

FLAPPA FLAPPA FLAPPA FLAPPA

HIRO MATSUMOTO



I'm so happy to see Wendy and Carla drawn in such a cute fashion! She has expressions I was hardly ever able to show in the main story, so I'm reading a Wendy even I never knew before, and it's like a breath of fresh air. Also, Yoshino is such a cutie!

RUI MATSUMOTO



I never dreamed I'd be able to draw a Fairy Tail story! I'm sure if I had told myself this one year ago, I wouldn't have believed it! And every chapter I draw is so much fun! You don't know how happy I am to be a part of a great story such as this!

# Translation Notes:

Japanese is a tricky language for most Westerners, and translation is often more art than science. For your edification and reading pleasure, here are notes on some of the places where we could have gone in a different direction with our translation of the work, or where a Japanese cultural reference is used.

## Page 3, Pickled plums

*Umeboshi* are a pickled fruit that are the most common filling for Japanese rice balls. They are so often called ‘pickled plums’ in English that even this translator thought they were actually plums, but it turns out that *ume* are more closely related to apricots.



## Page 76, Do declare

Well, no, Yoshino didn't say ‘do declare’ in Japanese, but she did talk a bit out of character in that scene. She had been speaking in a friendly, informal manner to Wendy from their first meeting, but when she gets a bit jealous of Wendy, she suddenly takes on an uncharacteristic, more formal, more distant attitude. I hoped that the uncharacteristic English dialog would draw attention to her attitude change.

## Page 82, First bath

In Japan, most people take their baths at night rather than in the morning (although there is a strong minority who do take a morning shower). In most Japanese houses, they fill the bathtub only once, and only enter to soak in it after they have already washed and rinsed their entire bodies (so the water isn't too dirty before the next person enters).

However, in large families, the final bath begins to look a little suspect, so the first bath of the evening is usually a treat reserved for the head of the household or guests. Here, Yoshino is offering Wendy the first bath as a guest.



## Page 93, Wall thump

This is a gesture that has been going on for a long time in Japan, but has recently received a name and some Internet recognition. In Japan, it's called *kabe-don*. *Kabe* means "wall," and *don* is the thumping sound when the hand hits the wall. A *kabe-don* happens when a woman stands with her back to the wall, and the man leans in supporting himself against the wall with one hand. Many people in Japan consider this position romantic.



## Page 157, Unagi Pie

*Unagi* means 'eel,' but although eel is pretty delicious over rice, the Japanese don't make pies out of them (that I have ever heard of). Instead, this is a flat wafer of sweetened pie crust that is made by rolling and elongating the dough. What comes out is a flat, cookie-like treat that looks similar to an eel in a sort-of 'S' shaped curve. It looks so much like an eel that the snack was named after it. It was very popular some 30 or 40 years ago, when it was thought to give a person a boost of energy late at night.



# SHERLOCK BONES

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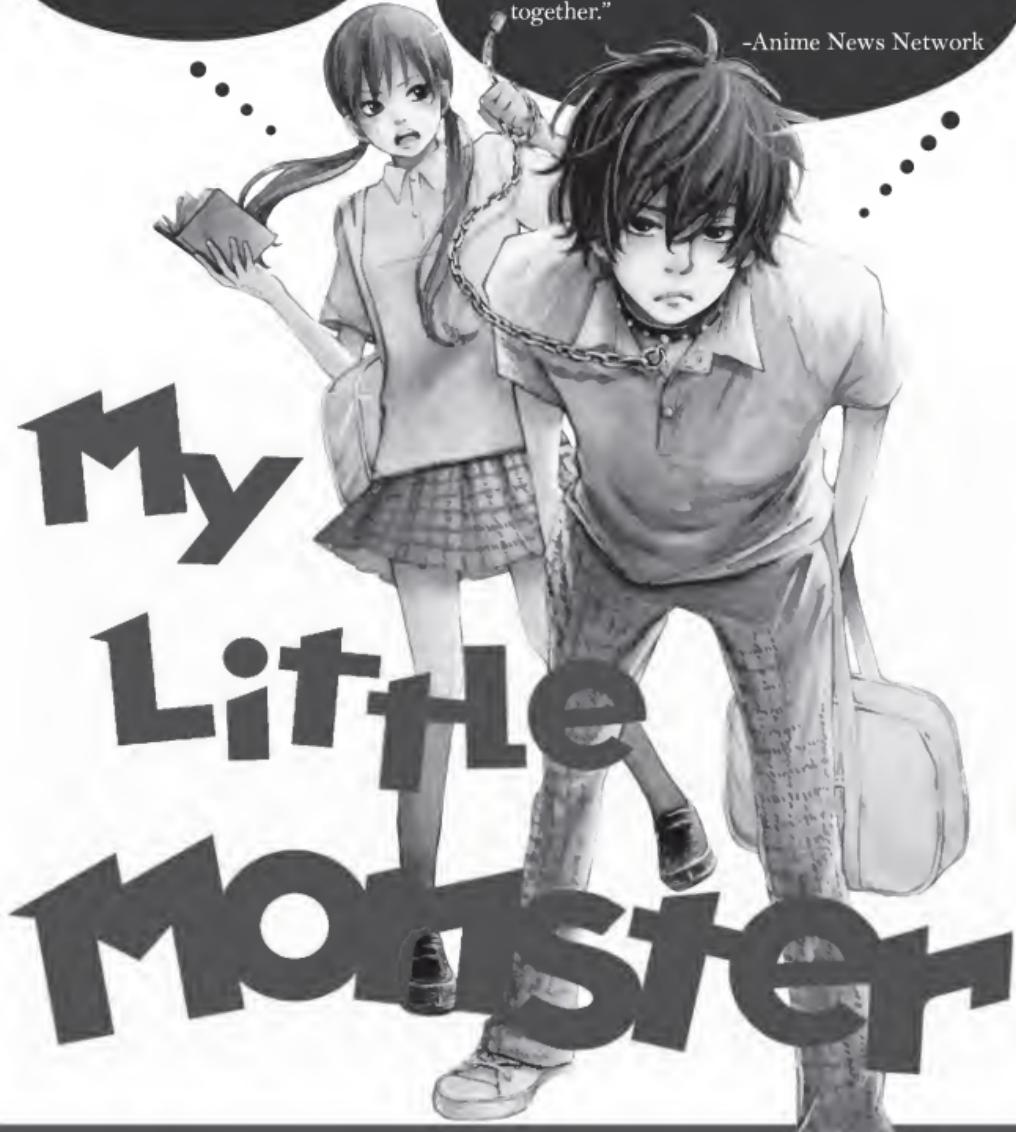
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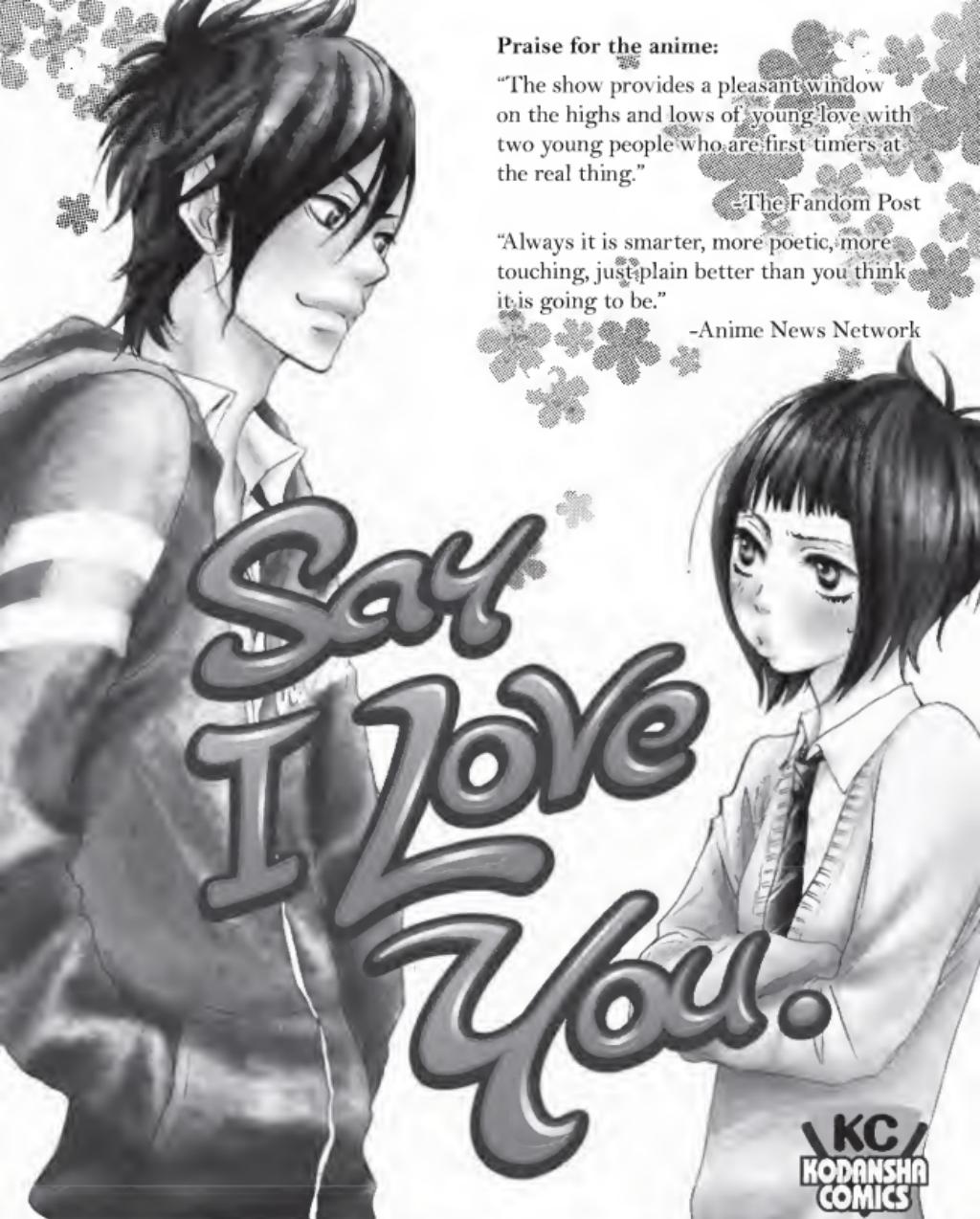
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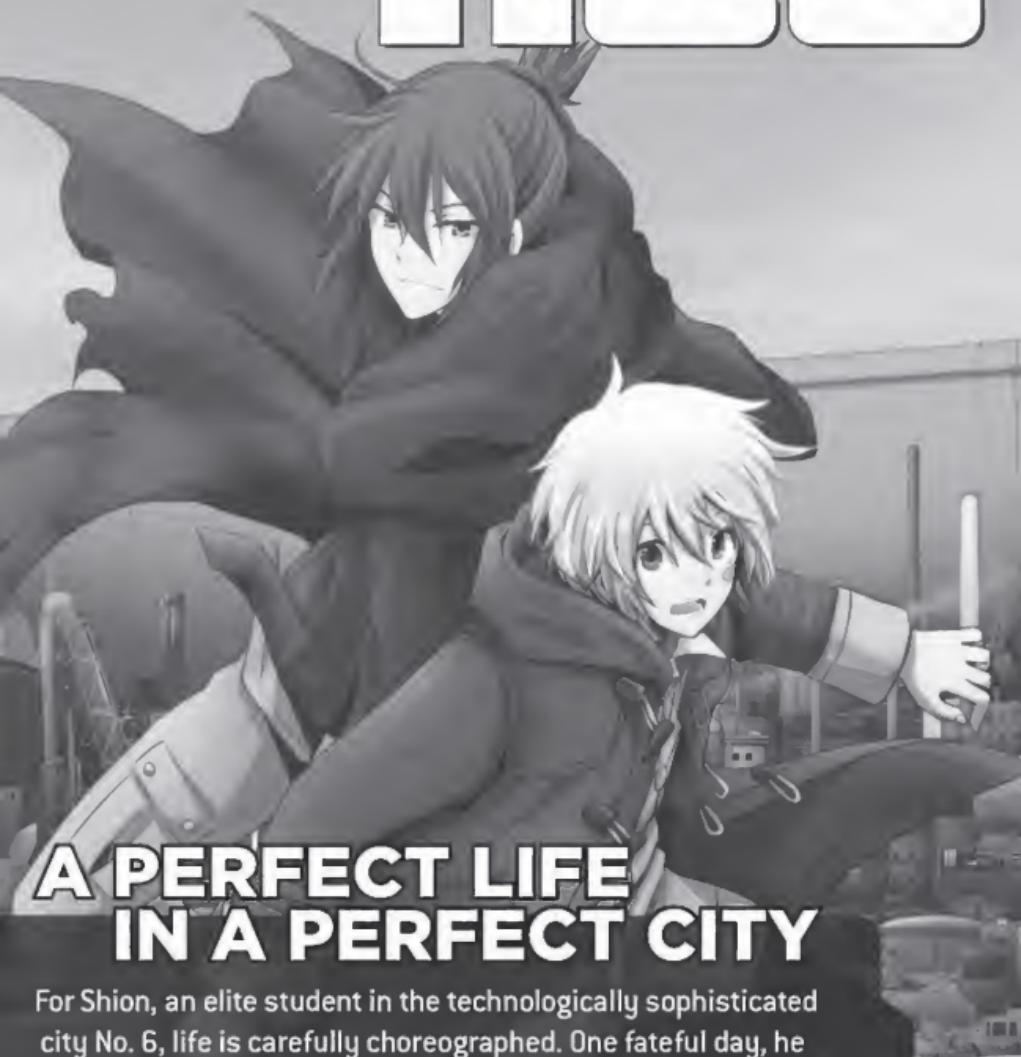
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LIKE  
ZOMBIE  
GIRLS."

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